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## SUMMARY.

With a view of reducing the Royal Engineers, the War Office has suppressed the order of continuing service beyond 21 years.

Those who have completed that period will receive five months' notice of retirement.

Germany is about to launch a torpedo boat destroyer, with a displacement of 350 tons, and a speed of 20 knots.

It is 200-ton gun, and is equipped with a two-turbo engine, and is equipped with a 20-ton gun and three 6-pounds.

The Shah has sanctioned the establishment of a German bank at Teheran.

French warships of insufficient fighting value are being sold or placed in the special service.

Terrorists murdered Herr Bosch, a wealthy German manufacturer at Riga.

Germany has renounced war with Russia on the matter.

Count Witte, who is at Baden, Russia, is to undergo an operation for the removal of a tumor from his throat.

A special Royal train from Russia, bound for Brussels and Paris, traversed Berlin on Monday.

The train contained several Grand Dukes and Grand Duchesses migrating to escape assassination.

General Dobrovsky, a member of the Court Martial at Warsaw, was fired at by an unknown assailant, and died.

Lord Curzon, India, have been suspended by President Palma, who has released 30 of the leading insurgents.

The American warships which are concentrating at Cuban ports to land 5000 sailors are now ashore within four days.

The Pacific Mail Company's steamer Mongolia, 12,000 tons, is ashore on Midway Island, Hawaii.

She was bound from Hongkong to San Francisco.

Her hull is pierced, and her bow is rest on the rocks.

The passengers were landed, and the cargo is being discharged by means of lighters.

The Mongolia, like the Manchuria, a sister ship, was driven out of her course by the tides.

The Manchuria, which was ashore at Oahu Island, Hawaii, has been refloated at a cost of \$200,000.

A gang of international scoundrels at Paris has been arrested by the police, 55 members of the gang were arrested.

The explosion of the magazine of Montauban Fort (France), which was fired by lightning, was due to a defective lightning conductor.

The magazine contained 20 tons of melted gunpowder.

All the drawbridges and other means of access to the fortresses were destroyed.

Belgian workmen are on strike, owing to the apportionment of work in the black season.

The textile manufacturers decided on a general lockout. Twenty thousand men are affected.

The lockout is available for the forthcoming sale at London comprising 90,000 bales.

Mr. Frederick Lugard, High Commissioner of Northern Nigeria, has resigned.

Cecil Healy, of Sydney, won the 100 and 220 yards swimming races at Belfast, lowering the record for both distances.

The death is announced of Rear Admiral Sir Edward Chichester, aged 56.

More earthquakes occurred at Palermo. Sicily. Many buildings were damaged.

A panic prevails at Termini Imerese, as it is feared there will be an eruption of Stromboli.

Japanese journalists report that Russia still directs its main force against the Chinese in North Manchuria and Vladivostock.

The coal conference at Newcastle was continued yesterday, and adjourned till to-day.

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In the Legislative Assembly yesterday the second reading of the Lotteries Bill was moved by the Attorney-General.

Mr. Wade said he had heard no protest in favour of retaining church bazaars under the bill.

The discussion of the measure was adjourned.

The Testator's Family Maintenance Bill was defeated.

The Council's appointments in the Balmain Electrical Lighting Bill were agreed to.

The Minister for Works, in reply to a question, said the Government intended to proceed with the North Coast railway.

The Chief Secretary said the necessity for legislation to regulate the driving of motor cars was recognized.

A bill dealing with the matter had been prepared.

The fruit fly parasite has been discovered in India. A consignment will be forwarded to Australia.

Small values fell yesterday in many parts of the State.

In the afternoon it was showy throughout the eastern half.

Thunderstorms occurred in Sydney and along the coast.

There is a large body of water in Lake George.

The annual show at West Wyalong was opened yesterday by Sir Harry Hawson, who had driven from Lake Cowal over boggy country.

During a heavy rainstorm a large pavilion was erected, but was seriously injured.

Owing to the rains many persons were not able to exhibit.

The Public Service Board yesterday issued its quinquennial regrading of the Public Service.

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**CHEAP EXCURSION TO THE HAWTHORPE RIVER.**  
In connection with the Steamer GENERAL GORDON, WEDNESDAY (WEDNESDAY), FRIDAY and SATURDAY NEXT.

Train will leave Sydney at 9.5 a.m., and Milson's Point at 8.30 a.m. The river trip will occupy about 5 hours.

Return Fare from Sydney and Suburban Stations— $\$1.20$  each class.

Refundments can be obtained on board the steamer at reasonable rates.

## SPECIAL CHEAP TRAINS TO AND FROM THE COUNTRY.

**SPECIAL CHEAP EXCURSION TICKETS** at 1d per mile, second-class return (minimum 7d 6d) and 1d per mile, second-class return (minimum 7d 6d), will be issued by unlettered train.

Tickets issued for distances up to 200 miles will be available for return for one calendar month from date of issue. For those distances over 200 miles, tickets will be available for return for six weeks from date of issue by trains as specified on handbills and posters.

**EXCURSION TRAINS** will leave Sydney for country stations as follows:

TO THE NORTHERN AND NORTH-WESTERN LINES.

At all stations Way to Wollongong and Branch Lines, except Inverell Branch, at 1.0 p.m. on MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25.

To stations on the Inverell Line at 7.30 p.m. on TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26.

To stations on the Coonamble Line at 8.0 p.m. on TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25.

TO THE WESTERN LINE AND BRANCHES.

To the Crookwell Branch at 9.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26.

To stations on the Gunnedah Line by the 7.0 p.m. Melbourne Express Train from Sydney on THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26.

To Main Line stations, Yarri to Albany inclusive, via Goulburn, Goulburn, Forbes, Warren, Cobar, and Brewarrina Branch Lines, at 3.0 p.m. on MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25.

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Australian Rifles—Tenders for the Supply of Rifles and Fixtures for the Australian Rifles. Tenders will be received at the Regimental Office, Victoria Barracks, up to noon on WEDNESDAY, 26th SEPTEMBER, 1906. The tenders must be in writing and sealed, and patterns of uniformity must be obtained, and sealed patterns of uniformity at above office daily, before 12 o'clock, and 2 or 3 days before the date of the competition, or any tender not accepted. See Order, R. I. R., 8, R. D. Dewett, Capt., Adjt. A.R. Regt., Vic. Barracks, 15th-16th.

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### BIRTHS.

NEWTON.—September 13, at 200 Oxford-street, Waverley, by Dr. J. H. D. and Mrs. J. H. D. their residence, 20 Anzac-road, Glebe Park, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. D. a son, James.

NEWTON.—September 8, 1906, at her residence, Band street, James-street, Manly, the wife of R. H. Kennedy, a son.

### SILVER WEDDINGS.

NEWTON.—HAYES.—September 13, 1901, by the Rev. Pastor Allen, at the Chapel House, Cattlereagh-street, Newington, Henry Hayes, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hayes, and Alice Hayes, present resident daughter of James Hayes, of Redfern, present address, 1000 Pitt-street, Sydney.

NEWTON.—September 13, 1901, son of W. H. Peck, Barrister, London, to Eliza Jane, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peck, of Paddington, present address, 388 Margaret-street, Paddington.

### DEATHS.

NEWTON.—September 13, at West Maitland, Mrs. Newell, aged 70 years.

NEWTON.—Gone to rest (Harriss), in her 88th year, for the last time, and friend of many, on September 13, 1906, our Special Photographer was at Klaundra, we were then unable to secure pictures of Alpine Sports, and satisfied ourselves with a few set of Scenic Views of certain Scenery. Now, in Series II, we are supplying the deficiency. Five pages of the issue of

### SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

## THE SYDNEY MAIL.

### A BRIGHT, POPULAR, ATTRACTIVE NUMBER.

### HANDSOME MAGAZINE SECTION.

### PUBLICATION TO-DAY.

### SNOW SPORTS AT KIANDRA.

Last month we published a collection of remarkable Pictures, taken at Klaundra, in mid-winter. They attracted much attention, and represented the first step towards popularizing the Alpine Resorts of our own country. The results were most gratifying, and the response to the stories was a decided and decided development. Owing to the snow-storms, when our Special Photographer was at Klaundra, we were then unable to secure pictures of Alpine Sports, and satisfied ourselves with a few set of Scenic Views of certain Scenery. Now, in Series II, we are supplying the deficiency. Five pages of the issue of

### THE ILLUSTRATIONS.

#### A REMARKABLE AND UNIQUE SET.

"CLEARING THE COURSE AT KIANDRA" is a page picture, and a very striking one. Our photographer secured the picture from Mr. H. H. Hordern, a skier of Klaundra, of the way.

#### OTHER PICTURES.

Trudging through Snow-drifts.  
The Use of the Brake-Sticks.  
Herring-bone Up the Course.  
At the Mouth of a Mine.  
Clouds Rolling over the Snowy Hills—A Splendid  
Camadocia in the Snow Hills—A Splendid  
Centre Picture.

Leaving Adaminaby in a Snow-storm.  
Mr. Wilson and Miss Tilly Worthy, Lady Champion.  
A Water Skiing Scene.  
A Huddle.

#### A Flight on Skis.

### OTHER FEATURES.

A VICTORIAN HOLIDAY INVASION.—A page illustration, showing parties of Victorian tourists on the Blue Mountains and at "Nights" on the South Coast.

"THE SQUAW MAN" —A page is devoted to two striking pictures of scenes in a new and successful

PROUDMAN FOOTBALLER.—J. Suttor, E. Fry, F. W. H. Hulme, and C. G. H. Wilson.

NOTABLE EVENTS IN QUEENSLAND.—Pictures of the United Friendly Societies' Sports, and a meet of the Brisbane Automobile Club.

SCULLING CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE NORTH.—Will delight all sports. Portraits appear of the competitors in the recent Amateur Championship of the North, and of some noted scullers, and of High School Champs. The last page shows the Sculler who won the New South Wales school championship to hold a social carnival.

IN THE SPORTING ARENA:—This is a page that will delight all sports. Portraits appear of the competitors in the recent Amateur Championship of the North, and of some noted scullers, and of High School Champs. The last page shows the Sculler who won the New South Wales school championship to hold a social carnival.

FOOTBALL TEAMS:—We note the closing weeks of the Football Season by publishing group portraits of some successful teams. These comprise Narrabeen, West Sydney, Carlton, Kelso Club, Parrys Excelsior, Ultimo, School, Darlinghurst Schools, Waterloo-Borough, and Carrington Club.

### HOW A GREAT ORGAN IS PLAYED.

A REHEARSAL ON SYDNEY'S GREAT TOWN HALL ORGAN BY MR. EDWIN LEMARE.

#### DESCRIBED BY DARWIN.

On this page we have three excellent scenes, one entitled "The Huge Organ and its Master"; the second, "Quiet Improvisation"; the third, "Pedalise". It is a page of general interest, and of especial value to musicians. "Darwin" contributes a very entertaining article—descriptive and descriptive.

### A REPRINT OF RAILWAY PICTURES.

#### ISSUED IN RESPONSE TO PUBLIC DEMAND.

#### PUBLICATION TO-DAY.

#### PRICE, 3d.

It is necessary in the first place to understand that this Report does not take the place of the ordinary issue; and secondly, it is not issued as a supplement to the "Sydney Mail" to-day. The "Sydney Mail" will be issued in its usual form, and the Report will stand alone—price three-pence. When on August 8 we issued a set of pictures of Central Railway stations and of the Great Southern Railway, we said that the old Southern yards there was at once a heavy demand. The issue sold out in almost

INSTANTLY.—In loving memory of my dear husband, who died September 17, 1905, and by his loving memory, and in memory of my dear son, Pearl, Clarence and Edna.

FRIEND.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Friend, who departed this life September 1905. Sweet memory lingers in our home. Inscribed by her loving son, and son-in-law, Ruby and Ethel.

FRIEND.—In loving memory of my dear husband, who died September 19, 1905, and by his loving memory, and in memory of his son, Eddie and wife, Clara, who departed this life at Lismore, on September 19, 1905. Inscribed by his loving son, Eddie and wife, Clara, and his son-in-law, Eddie and wife, Clara.

MICHAEL.—In but loving memory of our dear son, Michael, who died September 19, 1905, and by his loving memory, and in memory of his son, Eddie and wife, Clara.

SPRING.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Spring, who died this life September 1905, and by her loving memory, and in memory of her son, Eddie and wife, Clara.

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## THE COMMONWEALTH.

## IN FEDERAL SESSION.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

MELBOURNE. Tuesday.

The House of Representatives discussed the principal portion of to-day's session to the consideration of the bill enabling the Government to levy import duties of Customs and Excise, which is meant by a special duty is Excise, yielding revenue that can be appropriated by the Commonwealth without resorting to any portion thereof to the States, the object being to raise sufficient money for national schemes of public works. It is generally understood that the Prime Minister has ten and a half hours due to him in his mind's eye as the principal source of the projected fund. Still the bill has no limitations. None of its clauses contain the faintest reference to old-age pensions, or any other pension, except one which speaks of the sum to be applied to old-age pensions. On the contrary, probably every man in the House is in favour of them, but an effort is being made, and may be used, later on, to misrepresent the criticism of the Special Committee.

Constitutional amendments by the partial repeal of the Brandon clause and the payment of pensions have been dexterously interwoven, so that if a referendum is taken on the proposal to give this independent power of taxation to the Treasury, it will probably be voted in favour of a constitutional amendment of the bill, which merely provides a means by which the guarantees given by the Constitution in respect of the revenue of the States might be evaded. Opposition members, Cook and Coates, freely criticised the bill, and showed that the Commonwealth could provide the necessary funds, partly by economy, partly by utilising the full amount of the Commonwealth's share of the Customs and Excise, and, partly by arrangement with the States to pay pensions. For that reason they condemned the Government scheme.

Their criticism, however, was comparatively mild in comparison with that offered by two other members, who, at the close of the session, as it approached, are displaying a warmer amount of political independence. For the past three months of the session the caucus section of the House has not seriously raised a dissentient voice against any bill. Government proposal, although they mercifully put the preference bill scheme to the death, but the alternative, which is to have the Commonwealth's share of the Customs and Excise, and, partly by arrangement with the States to pay pensions, to the proposed referendum, to the Brandon clause, to the Brandon bill, and embraced all the principal Government measures in a sweeping condemnation. Mr. Thomas, another caucus member, was almost equally emphatic. Mr. Watson, however, whose loyalty to Ministers is above suspicion, has not been so far as ever, when the bulk of his supporters upon some non-institutional question crosses the floor of the House, spoken in favour of amending the Constitution, and of paying old-age pensions out of Commonwealth revenue, in accordance with an amendment proposed by Mr. Fraser that the new revenue funds might be made up from the Commonwealth's share of the Customs and Excise.

The amendment was rejected by 21 votes to 7. Then an attempt was made to induce the Government to state what taxes they would propose, but the Prime Minister, after consulting with his colleagues, flatly declared that he would vote against the Government upon the proposed referendum. The bill was passed through committee.

In the Senate the second readings of the Spiritill Bill and Excise Bill were agreed to. The War Office, with a view of reducing the Royal Engineers, has suppressed the option of continuing service beyond a period of 21 years. Those who have already completed that period will receive five months' notice of retirement.

## ARMY REDUCTION.

## RETIREMENT OF ENGINEERS.

LONDON, Sept. 18.

A feature of the International Peace Conference to be held at Milan is the adhesion of the British Workmen's Syndicate, comprising 125,000 members. French delegates will hold a demonstration in honour of the event.

## GERMAN TURBINE DESTROYER.

LONDON, Sept. 18.

Germany is about to launch a torpedo boat destroyer with a displacement of 650 tons and with a speed of 30 knots. She is engine with turbines, and is equipped with a 20-pounder gun and three 6-pounders.

## FORTRESS DISASTER.

LONDON, Sept. 17.

Twenty tons of melinite exploded at Montfaucon fort, near Metz, destroyed by an explosion caused by a flash of lightning, contained 20 tons of melinite.

## EARTHQUAKES IN SICILY.

LONDON, Sept. 18.

The disaster at Montfaucon fort is attributed to a defective lightning conductor, which was in course of repair. Some stones were hurled for a mile.

## ASIA MINOR RAILWAYS.

SMYRNA CONCESSION PROLONGED.

LONDON, Sept. 18.

Turkey has granted the railway company controlling the line from Smyrna to Adin, in Asia Minor, a prolongation of its concession by 15 years, and its extension eastwards to Lakes Biabur and Egevord. The prolongation of the concession is considered a great success for Sir Nicholas O'Connor, the British Ambassador at Constantinople.

## TARIFF COMMISSION.

LONDON, Sept. 18.

It is probable that only one more report will be submitted to the Government by the Tariff Commission. Members of it have practically decided that after meeting to-morrow, when an effort will be made to complete the work that is in hand, the Commission will adjourn sine die, the secretary being instructed to have the rest of the evidence published.

## STATE COMMANDANTS.

Certain of the State Commandants are to be raised in rank. It is expected that the Executive Council will meet this week to give effect to the promotions.

## LIFE INSURANCE LEGISLATION.

A bill, which was read the first time in the House of Representatives to-night, relating to the life insurance scheme in Australia, passed carrying the name of the German scheme. Our cables this morning tell us that Sir Nicholas O'Connor has, by his adroit diplomacy, overcome the objections of the Part.

## ALLEGED RITUALISM.

LONDON, Sept. 18.

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## GOULBURN. Tuesday.

Last night, speaking under the auspices of the A.P.D.A., Mr. J. G. Chapman, of Sydney, said that on Sunday he saw a clergyman in St. Saviour's Cathedral wearing a stole, the form of which had been declared by the church authorities to be illegal, as also the altar-cloth at the Cathedral was illegal, as also the altar itself, the law of the Church not recognising an altar. At St. James', King-street, and Christ Church, Bricksdale, the vestments and altar frontal were exactly similar to those of the Roman Church. Little by little the Church of England was allowing ritualism to creep in. Some years ago he had seen a picture of St. Saviour's Cathedral in Bishop Thorne's time. He had noticed how Woodward the Cathedral had moved.

## SALE OF FRENCH WARSHIPS.

LONDON, Sept. 18.

M. Thomson, Minister of Marine, is selling or placing in the special reserve French warships of insufficient fighting value.

## OBITUARY.

M. W. S. CAREW.

LONDON, Sept. 18.

The death is announced of Mr. W. S. Carew, formerly a stipendiary magistrate at Rewa, Fiji.

## ADMIRAL SIR EDWARD CHICHESTER.

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## AUCTION SALES.

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AT 11 O'CLOCK.  
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION,  
WITHOUT RESERVE.  
AT THE MART, 844 GEORGE-STREET.

Under Instructions from  
THE MANAGER OF A BANK.  
100 LADIES' AND GENT'LNS' GOLD  
WATCHES.  
Chamomile, Minette and Quince Bitters.  
Balsam and Foenicul. Watch.

200 GENT'LNS' SILVER WATCHES,  
Reputed Calendar, Biscuit, and Open Face.

THE WATCHES WILL BE ON VIEW PRIOR TO  
SALE.

S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY  
COMPANY, Auctioneers, will sell the above  
in AUCTION, at THE MART, 844 GEORGE-STREET,  
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 19th SEPTEMBER, 1906.

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CITY MART, 844 GEORGE-STREET,  
AT 11 A.M.

ON ACCOUNT OF WHICH IT MAY CONCERN,  
ALL FAULTS.

IN BOSTON, BIRMINGHAM, LIVERPOOL,  
AND BIRMINGHAM APOTHECARY.

200 BOTTLES OF BRIGHT WINE.

1 VILLAGE CART.

10 PACKAGE TEA.

Ex Oldsmar: 1 Egg CREAM TARTAR.

4 Cakes & Dough Housewives.

10 Cakes 1 Neck Housewives.

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10 Boxes BIRMINGHAM POLICE.

10 Boxes WHITING.

10 Boxes EARTH.

10 Boxes CLOTHES (Ancient Shape).

10 Boxes BOAT CAPS.

10 Boxes MINT WHITE LINEN CUPP.

PEASER, UTHIER, AND CO., Ltd.,  
have received instructions to sell by auction, the  
above.

FRIDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER, AT ROWAN'S BOND,  
LONDON, ENGLAND, AT 11 A.M.

ON ACCOUNT OF WHICH IT MAY CONCERN,  
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IN BOSTON, BIRMINGHAM, LIVERPOOL,  
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15, 50-4 BALD HUMATA TOBACCO LEAF.

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NEUTRAL DAY, NORTH SYDNEY,  
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19,  
AT 11 o'clock.

ON THE PREMIER, CAPRI, BOEY BOAT-HOUSE,  
opposite Post-office.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

COMPAGNIE: Handson, Edward Price, Dresden,  
in Bremen, Germany, and Chancery, London,  
and St. John's, Newfoundland, Superior 888 St. John's,  
Walmsley, Blackwood, Buxton, Buxton, Buxton,  
Chain, M. C. Clock, Grammatica, Grammatica,  
Chain, Combination Clocks of Drawers, M. T.  
Clock, M. C. Clock, Grammatica, Grammatica,  
Clock, Tools, Kitchen and Laundry Utensils, etc.,  
etc.

CLARKS AND SLOWES, Auctioneers, Walker and  
Sons, have been instructed to sell by auction,  
Mr. Trickett, who is leaving the State, to sell as  
above.

NORTH SYDNEY.

FRIDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER, at 11 O'CLOCK,  
AT THE AUCTION ROOM.

WALKER AND BLUE STREET.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,  
comprising:

PIANO, E. D. Suite in Tapestry, Dining Table, Chairs  
and Seats, Bedsteads, Bedsteads, Bedsteads, Bed-  
steads, Mirrors, Hall Stand, Bed Heads and  
Bedding, Crochet, Chain, Washstands and Wash-  
stands, Laundry Utensils, Large Wash-

stands, etc., etc.

Also, at 12 o'clock,  
Gold Watch and Chain, and Jewellery, in the Estate  
of the late Mr. John Horner.

BUILDING MATERIALS.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,  
FRIDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.

The Complete Building Materials on SEPARATE  
(LOTS) of the Workhouse known as NO George  
Street, now in course of demolition.

ALL FULL PARTICULARS in later advertisements.

MESSRS. H. AND A. LAWSON,  
12 PITT-STREET, HANOVER-SQUARE, LONDON.

THIS DAY.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his rooms,  
104A PITT-STREET, the Unreserved Sale of  
Wool, Linen, Cotton, and other fabrics, and  
Allotments of the Workhouse known as NO George  
Street, now in course of demolition.

ALL FULL PARTICULARS in later advertisements.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his rooms,  
104A PITT-STREET, THIS DAY at 10.30 o'clock.

SYDNEY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

TO CONTRACTORS, HORSE BAZAARS, and OTHERS.

THOMAS H. NEBBIT, Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Sydney, 19th September, 1906.

TO DEALERS, PRIVATE BUYERS, and OTHERS.

THOMAS H. NEBBIT, Town Clerk.

